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## \*Press Release\*

## **Inmate Death**

SMYRNA - An inmate at the Delaware Correctional Center has died.

20-year old Jermaine Wilson, (D.O.B. 1/15/85), was pronounced dead at 11:16 p.m., last night, February 18, 2005 at DCC. He had placed a piece of his bed sheet around his neck, tied it to his locker then lowered his body to the floor.

Wilson, of Newark, DE, was being held on a charge of violation of probation. Wilson's body has been released to the State Medical Examiner's Office. Foul play is not suspected.